

Alabama Medicaid Agency

Long Term Care Division

Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waivers

HCBS Waiver for Persons with Mental Retardation (MR)

The MR Waiver has been in existence since 1981

Target Group

Individuals with a diagnosis of Mental Retardation (MR)

Individuals meeting the Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR)
Level of Care

Age Requirement

3 years and older

Financial Eligibility

SSI and deemed SSI recipients

Individuals with MLIF (Medicaid for Low Income Families)

Disabled individuals with income up to 300% of the SSI income level

Waiver Size/Slots Available

5,200

Services to be Provided

Residential Habilitation Training

Residential Habilitation – Other Living Arrangement

Day Habilitation

Prevocational Services

Supported Employment

Occupational Therapy Services

Speech and Language Therapy

Physical Therapy

Behavior Therapy

In-Home Respite Care

Out-of-Home Respite Care

Institutional Respite Care

Personal Care

Personal Care Transportation

Environmental Accessibility Adaptations

Specialized Medical Equipment and Supplies

Skilled Nursing

Assistive Technology

Adult Companion Services

Crisis Intervention

Community Specialist Services

Operating Agency

Alabama Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation (ADMH/MR)